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SUBJECT: WASHINGTON STATE GROUP "SPIRIT OF 76"

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1. ORGANIZERS OF WASHINGTON STATE GROUP VISITED DEPARTMENT'S BICENTENNIAL LIAISON OFFICE IN FEBRUARY TO DISCUSS THEIR PLAN FOR TOURING PACIFIC RIM COUNTRIES WITH OBJECTIVE OF ENCOURAGING FOREIGN INTEREST IN U.S. NORTHWEST AREA. DISCUSSIONS IN COUNTRIES TO BE VISITED WERE TO HIGHLIGHT EDUCATION-BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS AND PERFORMANCES BY YOUTHFUL MUSICAL GROUP FEATURING BICENTENNIAL THEME. ITINERARY HAD NOT YET BEEN ESTABLISHED NOR WAS PROSPECTIVE FUNDING

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2. DEPARTMENT OFFICER URGED SPONSORS TO IDENTIFY COOPERATING GROUP IN EACH COUNTRY TO BE VISITED IN ORDER TO HAVE LOCAL BASE OF INTEREST AND ASSISTANCE IN MAKING ARRANGEMENTS. SUGGESTED DEVELOPMENT OF PROJECT THROUGH CONTACTS REMAINING FROM SPOKANE EXPOSITION OR THROUGH CONSULATES IN SEATTLE OR ELSEWHERE AS NECESSARY.

3. DEPARTMENT CONCURS IN EMBASSY'S PLAN TO PROVIDE LIMITED FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE MOST IMPORTANTLY IDENTIFYING LOCAL ORGANIZATION WHICH MIGHT BE WILLING WORK WITH WASHINGTON GROUP. DEPARTMENT NOT REPEAT NOT IN POSITION TO SPONSOR OR COORDINATE PROJECT.

4. INFO ADDRESSEES MAY BE APPROACHED BY PRINCIPAL ORGANIZER MS. JANE JOHNSON OF WASHINGTON STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN SPOKANE WITH REQUEST SIMILAR TO LETTER TO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI SEEKING EXTENSIVE ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE REGARDING HOTELS, MUSICAL PERFORMANCE FACILITIES AND PROSPECTIVE PARTICIPANTS IN DISCUSSIONS. TOUR IF IT MATERIALIZES WILL APPARENTLY BEGIN IN JUNE 1976. INGERSOLL

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